



2026 HERB MEYER CUP REGATTA INFORMATION FOR COMPETITORS

Racing Clinic

On Friday, July 31 BAADS will host a racing clinic presented by Will Paxton and Finnagh Hanrahan.

This clinic is free to all participants in the 2026 Herb Meyer Cup Regatta.

1000 - 1130 Classroom chalk talk and preparation for
1130 - 1430 Transition to boats and on the water activities
1500 - 1600 Classroom debrief

Will Paxton is a Sailmaker with Quantum Sails. Will started sailing at six and was active in the Richmond Yacht Club junior program. He has won 15 national championships in Express 27, Express 37, El Toro, and Santana 35 fleets. He has raced to Hawaii 25 times, including overall victories in the Pac Cup and Transpac.

Finnagh Hanrahan is the Youth Sailing Program Director at Golden Gate Yacht Club and an instructor at South Beach Yacht Club. She raced dinghies in High School and now races on keelboats in the Bay and in Vancouver, BC. She also sailed with Maiden and competed in the Helga Cup in Hamburg, Germany.

Sign up here using the [BAADS Small Boat Sign Up Form](#).

Hospitality:

Breakfast and grab-and-go lunches will be provided on Saturday and Sunday mornings. Dinner will be available at the club on Saturday starting at 2 PM. Dinner will be provided at the Awards Ceremony on Sunday from 4–7 PM. South Bay Yacht Club will provide a cash bar during the event.

South Beach Parking

Parking is available through the Harbormaster's Office at pallavi.talwar@sport.com